

KY-ASAP State Board Meeting Minutes
February 7, 2013
Office of Drug Control Policy Conference Room
125 Holmes Street
Frankfort, KY

Board Members Present

Connie Smith-Mental Health & Substance Abuse
Maurice Brown-Designee for Commissioner Tony Dehner, Alcoholic Beverage Control
Angela Hall-Private Community-Based Organizations
Van Ingram-Designee for Secretary, J. Michael Brown, Justice & Public Safety Cabinet
David Slone-American Heart Association
Steven Bing-KY Health Department Association
Leslie Hall-KY Family Resource Youth Services
Jeff Jamar-Designee for Cabinet for Health & Family Services
Irene Centers-Designee for Department for Public Health
Carl Boes-Designee for KY Association of Regional Programs
Lola Patterson-Private Community-Based Organization
Jeff Jones-Local Tobacco Addiction, Subs Abuse Bd.
Libby Taylor-Designee for Department of Education
Ron Rice-Local Tobacco Addiction, Substance Abuse Board

Guests:

Sgt. Randy Charles, Kentucky Army National Guard
John Harvey, Kentucky Army National Guard

Office of Drug Control Policy Staff present

Amy Andrews-KY-ASAP State Program Manager
Heather Wainscott-Office of Drug Control Policy Branch Manager
Berry Hammermeister-Office of Drug Control Policy Executive Staff Advisor

Welcome and Introductions

The meeting began at 11:10 a.m. with Connie Smith, Chair presiding

Welcome and introductions were made.

Minutes-November 15, 2012 meeting

Motion was made by Carl Boes and seconded by Steven Bing to approve the minutes of the November 15, 2012 meeting. Motion passed

Executive Director Report-Van Ingram

Van presented an overview of the 2013 pending legislation.

Bills that the Justice & Public Safety Cabinet is involved in are:

HB79-Prescription of Naloxone
HB 146-Drugs and Medicines-Cleanup of SB3
HB217-Controlled Substances-Cleanup of HB1

New bills of interest:

HB198-Involuntary Treatment for Alcohol & Other Drug Abuse-extension of Casey's Law
HB218-Alcohol & Drug Counseling

If there are any changes that would be of interest to the Board, Amy will inform them.

KY-ASAP Report-Amy Andrews

Amy presented the financial report since last meeting.

Reward and Remind-Collaboration with Connie Smith's office-Division of Behavioral Health, Dept. of Behavioral Health, Developmental & Intellectual Disabilities to conduct tobacco vendor compliance checks to prevent tobacco sales to minors.

Reward & Remind compliance check will be done for both cigarettes & smokeless tobacco.

Vendors are checked twice for compliance and may receive a \$10 incentive for good progress.

ABC will provide a list of available investigative aides that each community may call upon. Additionally, undercover law enforcement officers will accompany investigative aides on all compliance checks. The project will begin March 1, 2013 and end June by the Division.

Funding for this is available until June 28, 2013

Local KY-ASAP State Board will be reimbursed for expenses by the Division

Amy reported that the Annual Youth Symposium which is held in the summer months lost funding, therefore it will be a one-day conference and will be held in the Fall possibly November 4, 2013.

Amy showed the board PSA's from the Clark County KY-ASAP board that has a great youth network. They won 4 awards for their PSA's. They won at the "Keep It Real" Program and also won the Attorney General's PSA contest.

Partnership-Heather Wainscott

Heather updated the board on the following:

Partnership for a Drug Free Kentucky continues to PSA's on local and cable TV

The Office of Drug Control Policy is partnering with Operation UNITE to develop a treatment brochure to educate patients on choices for substance abuse treatment and "Life with a Record" is another collaboration with Operation Unite, is a curriculum targeting elementary and middle school students educating them on decisions made now will effect them all throughout their lives.

Explanation of Senate Bill 3:

Senate Bill 3 blocks the purchase of PSE products after reaching 24 grams in 365 days is causing a tremendous amount of phone calls to ODCP for explanation of why consumers are being denied. It has been overwhelming at times.

The Office of Drug Control Police has partnered with the KY Attorney Generals office releasing a Heroin Prevention PSA to increase awareness of heroin abuse among young people and warn their parents of the signs.

Heather worked with the Nassau County New York District Attorney Kathleen Rice using their PSA. The 30 second PSA depicts a young woman in a morgue who describes how easy it has been to hide her heroin habit from her parents-that is until she becomes an overdose victim.

The PSA has been sent out to all local and cable television stations across the state. Airtime at the cinemas in Northern Kentucky was asked to purchase but was denied by the theatre company with the explanation of “shock” advertising.

New Business:

There was discussion to address the fact that Substance abuse needs to be viewed as a medical disorder by insurance companies and it needs to be address in the medical area instead of the Criminal Justice system.

The Scott County Drug Drop box has collected 197.8 pounds of medicines.

Reminder of the Smoke-free Communities forum in the Capitol Rotunda on February 14, 2013 at 11:00 a.m.

Van informed the board that in 2008-2009, Kentucky was #1 in the Nation in every category of prescription drug use.

2009-2010 showed that the statistics are Kentucky is now 30th in the Nation now so the trends are showing improvement. Kentucky is prescribing less and there is a 12% lowered amount of Hydrocodone, Oxycodone, and Oxymorphen being prescribed.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 15, 2013.

There was no other new or old business.

Adjournment

Motion by Irene Centers and seconded by Leslie Hall to Adjourn.

Motions passed and the meeting was adjourned at 12:25.

Recorder of Minutes: Berry Hammermeister